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Subject: Re: SoCal

Good copy and agree

On Wed, Apr 21, 2021 at 3:35 PM Lyons, John <Lyons.John@epa.gov> wrote:

Hi Nancy

I'd go with sharing items 1 and 2. We would like to discuss items 3 and 4 with you all before discussing with the group.

We also have one update to share with NOAA which is we are reviewing internally the summary of our initial review of information retained by EPA Region 9 Superfund regarding how Montrose and its contractor managed transportation and disposal of acid waste at several of the ocean disposal sites. We would like to discuss this with all of you before Monday.

Thanks

John

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John and team,

A few updates I can share today at the meeting or just with this smaller group.

1. Attached is the invite that was shared for the upcoming Scripps Hill brief- I let them know NOAA and EPA did not request an official invite and do not plan to attend. I will get the slidedeck Scripps presents and share it with this group for awareness.
2. Scripps is planning to host a media briefing is planned for 2:30 p.m. ET Monday 4/26 following the Hill briefing.
3. There are numerous requests coming in from private groups and to share with private groups the coordinates of the targets. We and Scripps have not shared (I have been in comms with Scripps today and should have the coordinates on a map to share today). I have shared concerns that sharing the coordinates with anyone outside the government group and having other entities conduct surveys, without coordination would be a detriment to the organized concerted effort led by EPA. It may help route this interest/ push for info once an official EPA/ NOAA statement is issued.
4. I am finalizing availability of ships and ROVs for possible follow-up work and will share what I have by end of week.

Look forward to talking shortly.

Nancy

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